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SUBJECT: REVERSE PREFERENCES FOR THE MAGHREB

REFS: (A) LONDON 7557; (B) STATE 134654; (C) TUNIS 4701;
(D) RABAT 3229

1. WE INFORMED JOHN ROBINSON (ASSISTANT UNDER SECRETARY

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AT THE FCO) THAT AS A RESULT OF THE BRITISH SUGGESTION

OF JUNE 25 (REF A), OUR POSTS IN ALGIERS, RABAT AND TUNIS HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO MAKE INFORMAL APPROACHES TO THEIR HOST GOVERNMENTS ON REVERSE PREFERENCES.

2. ROBINSON THANKED US FOR THIS INFORMATION AND SAID THESE APPROACHES WOULD REINFORCE THE UK'S EFFORTS TO ENSURE THAT THE COMMUNITY ADOPTS A POSITION OF NOT REQUIRING RECIPROCITY FROM THE THREE MAGHREB COUNTRIES.

3. ROBINSON SAID THAT THE POSITION OF ALGERIA ON RECIPROCITY WILL BE PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT IN THESE NEGOTIATIONS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE INFORMATION ON THE RESULTS OF OUR INFORMAL APPROACH IN ALGIERS.

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